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E. O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SNAR, MY
SUBJ: DEMAND REDUCTION ASSISTANCE--PEMADAM ADVISOR

REF: KUALA LUMPUR 6433 AND PREVIOUS

1. DR. V. NAVARATNAM, THE GOM INTERNATIONAL LIAISON MAN ON NARCOTICS ASSISTANCE, CALLED EMBOFF JULY 15 TO DISCUSS THE PEMADAM ADVISOR PROJECT. HE SAID THAT THE CABINET COMMITTEE ON DRUG ABUSE CONTROL IS EAGER TO MOVE FORWARD WITH THE ADVISOR AND SUGGESTED THAT WE INITIATE THE EXCHNAGE OF LETTERS ON THIS PROJECT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE. NAVA SAID THAT RAIS YATIM, WHO HAS BEEN SWORN IN AS THE CHIEF MINISTER OF NEGRI SEMBILAN, WILL CONTINUE AS THE PRESIDENT OF PEMADAM AND, AT LEAST FOR THE TIME BEING, AS HEAD OF THE CABINET COMMITTEE ACTION UNIT. NAVA FELT THAT WE COULD USE AN EXCHANGE OF LETTERS BETWEEN THE AMBASSADOR AND RAIS AS THE BASIS FOR THIS PROJECT.

2. WE ARE NOT AS SANGUINE AS NAVARATNAM THAT RAIS WILL RETAIN NARCOTICS RESPONSIBILITIES. HIS NEW JOB IS AN ONEROUS ONE AND HE NOW LIVES FIFTY
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MILES FROM KUALA LUMPUR. (ALSO, RAIS HAS BEEN NAVA'S "GODFATHER" ON DRUG MATTERS WITHIN THE GOM, AND NAVA IS RELUCTANT TO SEE HIM LEAVE; HIS EXPECTATIONS ABOUT RAIS' CONTINUING TO HAVE CENTRAL GOVERNMENT NARCOTICS RESPONSIBILITY MAY BE A BIT OF WISHFUL THINKING.) IN ANY CASE, A NEW CABINET WILL BE NAMED EARLY NEXT WEEK AND WE SHOULD HAVE

SOME IDEA THEN ABOUT WHO WE CAN DEAL WITH ON THE
PEMADAM PROJECT. (HE MAY, IN FACT, STILL BE RAIS
YATIM.) REQUEST DEPT. PREPARE THE TEXT OF A
LETTER FOR THE AMBASSADOR OUTLINING THE PARAMETERS
OF THE PROJECT. WE WILL CHECK IT OUT WITH NAVA
AND OTHER APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES AND THEN BE IN
A POSITION TO SEND IT AS SOON AS WE HAVE IDENTIFIED
THE PROPER RECIPIENT.

3. NAVA SAID HE WILL BE MEETING JEAN PAUL SMITH
OF NIDA IN GENEVA THIS WEEK AND WILL DISCUSS OUR
ENTIRE DEMAND REDUCTION PROGRAM WITH HIM THEN.
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